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SUBJ: ITU: SALE OF CCITT DOCUMENTS THROUGH NTIS

REF: (A) STATE 290516; (B) GENEVA 9543

1. IN RECENT CALL ON NEW CCITT DIRECTOR BURTZ, MISSION OFFICER RAISED POSSIBILITY OF NTIS ACTING AS SALES AGENT FOR CCITT DOCUMENTS IN U.S., ALONG LINES DESCRIBED REFTTEL. PREVIOUS TO VISIT, WE DISCUSSED MATTER WITH CCIR DIRECTOR KIRBY WHO OFFERED HIS SERVICES IN EXPLAINING CCIR EXPERIENCE WITH NTIS SALES TO BURTZ AND IN ASSISTING HIM TO INITIATE NECESSARY ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION.
2. WE FOUND BURTZ EXTREMELY ACTIVE, OPEN AND COOPERATIVE AND VERY (OFTEN BRUTALLY) FRANK ABOUT HIS INITIAL IMPRESSIONS OF CONDITIONS WITHIN THE ITU. WITH REGARDS TO NTIS, HE SEEMED VERY INTERESTED IN OUR PROPOSAL AND PROMISED TO CONTACT KIRBY SHORTLY WITH A VIEW TO INITIATING CCITT CONTACTS WITH NTIS.
3. MISSION WILL FOLLOW UP ON THIS MATTER DURING NEXT CALL ON BURTZ SHORTLY AFTER HOLIDAYS.CATTO

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